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Title: Methods and Apparatus for Contingent
Transfer and Execution of Spoken
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Submitted herewith is the following document relating to the above-identified patent application:

(1) Amendment.

There is no additional fee due in conjunction with the Amendment. In the event of non-payment or improper payment of a required fee, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or to credit **International Business Machines Corporation Deposit Account No. 50-0510** as required to correct the error.

Respectfully submitted,

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In response to the Decision on Appeal (Appeal No. 2005-1952) dated August 31, 2005 received from the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences, please amend the above-identified application as follows: